

BETTER WORK WINS TWO FOR THE COLTS

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HOME RUN A FEATURE

Siebers' Long Drive to Deep Centre Scored Three Runs. Vail Is Benched.

Better work in the field, and the effectiveness of Pitchers Reville and Edmundston, gave both games of a fast double-header to Richmond over Portsmouth yesterday. The visitors were never in either game, securing only nine hits in the eighteen innings. From a Truckers standpoint, the contests were uninteresting, but to the Colts' supporters they were fine exhibitions, and caused delight among the big Saturday crowd.

Reville, who pitched the first game, did not allow a single base on balls, and the only runners to reach first base earned their way by safe hits. Edmundston appeared in a Richmond uniform for the first time in the second game, and aside from a little wildness was practically invincible. He struck out three men, as against Reville's four, and hit two batters.

Game Marred by Kicking. The first game was marred by kicking. Tittman and Smith both being benched for disputing Mace's decision, while Vail, who was wild and ineffective, was put out of the second game for the same reason. Hannafin pitched fairly good ball in the first seven innings of his game, but in the eighth he blew up, and five runs were scored on three hits. The score was 10-0 in favor of the Colts.

Reville was invincible in the first five innings of the first game, and not until the middle of the sixth inning, when Cowan, who relieved Smith, secured a single, did the visitors get a man on first. Meanwhile the locals were gradually piling up runs. In the third inning Reville made the first hit of the game, a rap to left field for two bases, and scored on Lipe's single through shortstop.

In the next half the Colts added another. Kanziel singled to right field, and was sacrificed by Wallace. Jay went to third on Keifel's out, and scored on Sandherr's hit. There was no scoring again until the seventh. Sandherr was safe on Toner's error, and was sacrificed by Sieber. Messitt hit scored the shortstop.

There was a small base in front of the grandstand, but it amounted to nothing, and the game was not delayed.

Hannafin Blew Up

In the eighth Hannafin, who had allowed but five hits in seven innings, blew up, and five runs were scored. Every man on Lipe's team got a chance to bat in this inning. Lipe walked, was sacrificed by Lipe, and scored on Hannafin's error. Sandherr was safe on Toner's error, and was sacrificed by Sieber. Messitt hit scored the shortstop.

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Minutes elapsed between the games. Vail was wild from the start, and after five runs, scored in the second inning, there was no doubt how the game would go. Wallace walked, and was sacrificed by Toner, who was hit by Reville. Toner at first base, Sandherr walked, and then Selber rapped out a homer. This seemed to demoralize the visitors. Keifel singled. Edmundston flew to center field, Lipe landed safely, and stole second. Lipe hit second base, and Keifel scored.

In the fourth Richmond added another run. Lipe took one in the ribs and went to second on a passed ball, and scored on Kanziel's single. In the fifth inning Vail disputed Mace, when he called Tittman safe at third, and was relieved by Edmundston.

It was evidently the best thing that could have happened for the Truckers, as the new pitcher held the Colts to no hits, and did not allow another run.

Portsmouth's only score was made in the fifth. Vail walked at first, and on McFarland's out. He reached third on Lipe's error, and came over when Morehead rolled a slow one to Sandherr. Not until the ninth did the Truckers have a chance to add another run. Schraeder hit to deep left field, and although held at first was given second under the ground rules. He reached third, with one man out, but Edmundston steadied, and the game ended.

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Little Faith in Jetties. LONDON, August 7.—The National Sporting Club has no present intention of promoting a match between Jack Johnson and Jim Jeffries. The sporting fraternity here has little faith in Jeffries' ability.

Virginia League

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WHERE THEY PLAY MONDAY

Richmond at Danville. Portsmouth at Norfolk. Lynchburg at Roanoke.

GOLFERS PLAY VS. "COLONEL BOGEY"

First Event of Its Kind at Hermitage Proves of Great Interest

A match tournament against "Colonel Bogey" was held at the Hermitage Golf Club yesterday afternoon. This was the first event of the kind ever played at the Hermitage, and great interest was displayed by those taking part.

The plan of a Bogey tournament is that an estimate is made of the number of strokes a very fine player should take for each hole, and this imaginary player is called "Colonel Bogey." Each player plays against Colonel Bogey's score on each hole, and if the colonel is beaten, the player is "up on Bogey." If Colonel Bogey wins, the player is "down to Bogey."

Handicap. George C. Elgwood, 19; 2 up on Bogey. Charles R. Burnett, 8; even with Bogey. W. S. Campbell, 12; 1 down to Bogey. R. Fleming, 9; 1 down to Bogey. J. W. Atkinson, Jr., 3; 1 down to Bogey. Thomas M. Rutherford, 20; 1 down to Bogey. John B. Young, 7; 1 down to Bogey. B. P. Claiborne, 17; 1 down to Bogey. W. H. Palmer, Jr., 0; 2 down to Bogey.

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BEST DUCKPIN BOWLER

Jackson, of Lynchburg, Establishes This Reputation at Home. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] LYNCHBURG, VA., August 7.—Owen Jackson, a popular right fielder of the local ball team, has established a reputation for himself of being the best duckpin bowler in Lynchburg, for he has recently rolled some high scores on the alleys here. His highest thus far is 167, and he rolled 421 in three consecutive games. Jackson resides at Froeburg, Md.

"ISTALENA" JOINS YACHT IMMORTALS

Sailed in Masterly Style, She Shows Heels to Pick of Racing Fleet.

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GEORGE STINSON. He led the Virginia League in batting last year, and favorable reports of his record this year come from San Antonio, Tex. George is popular and can take care of himself in baseball.

ROANOKE SPLITS WITH LYNCHBURG

Moser Knocked Out of the Box in First Game, but Takes Second

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] LYNCHBURG, VA., August 7.—Roanoke and Lynchburg divided honors in two uninteresting and long-drawn-out games to-day, the visitors getting the first, 6 to 5, in seven innings, and the home team the second, 3 to 1. Moser and Dickinson were driven out of the box in the first game, but Griffin stopped the hitting.

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ASHLAND TAKES TWO

Takes Both Games of Double-Header From Taylorsville Nine. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] ASHLAND, VA., August 7.—Ashland beat Taylorsville two games of baseball here this afternoon. The first game was a walkover for the locals, but the second was a pitchers' battle, and was anybody's until the last man was out. The feature was the pitching of Blanton and the hitting of Smith, for Ashland, and the fielding of Smith, at third base, for Taylorsville.

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NORFOLK WINS ONE, TIES THE SECOND

Three Thousand Partisan Fans Witness Two Clever Diamond Battles

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] NORFOLK, VA., August 7.—Before 3,000 fans, enthusiastic and partisan, the two teams played the first of two games to-day. The home team won the first, 5 to 3, in seven innings, and the visitors the second, 3 to 1. Moser and Dickinson were driven out of the box in the first game, but Griffin stopped the hitting.

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PETERSBURG WINS

Takes Close Eleven-Inning Game From Taylorsville Nine. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] DENDRON, VA., August 7.—In a closely contested eleven-inning game here the Petersburg Giants defeated the local team by the score of 4 to 3. Moore, who did the slush work for the home team, was in the form, and would undoubtedly have given the visitors a shutout if he had received proper support.

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WALDOO'S GIVEN CHAMPION TITLE FOR THE SEASON

In Impressive Style He Takes Saratoga Special From Keene's Sweep, Making Sixth Straight Victory

SARATOGA, August 7.—Nearly 10,000 persons saw C. L. Harrison's Waldo win the Saratoga special for two-year-olds, six furlongs, in the most impressive style here to-day. Waldo scored his sixth consecutive victory in the East, and was promptly pronounced the champion colt of the year. He was heavily backed at 6 to 5, but James R. Keene's Sweep ruled the favorite at 9 to 10 with John Sanford's Herkimer, the only other starter, quoted at 15.

Starter Cassidy released the barrier when Sweep was entirely unprepared, with the result that he did not break until Waldo and Herkimer had gained about three lengths on him. But even this handicap at the post did not figure to a great extent in the defeat of the Keene colt, as Waldo was much the best in the opinion of good judges. Taplin lost no time in taking Herkimer to the front, and setting a fast clip over a slow track, Mr. Sanford's colt made a pace until well around the turn.

Waldo was always within striking distance of him, though, with Sweep under a vigorous ride, coming rapidly behind. At the head of the stretch Nicol, with supreme confidence, let Waldo down, and the result was electrifying. The big Planudes colt passed Herkimer like a whirlwind in the space of fifty yards, and loomed up in the middle of the home stretch a sure winner. Nicol took hold of him near the end, and Waldo galloped to the wire with the safest kind of a margin.

First race—six furlongs—Bell Wether (15 to 1) first, Beeson (12 to 5) second, Gold Note (6 to 1) third. Time, 1:14.

Second race—The Saratoga Steeplechase, selling, 1,000 added, about two miles—Ballacalla (5 to 1) first, Waterway (3 to 1) second, Grand Pa (6 to 1) third. Time, 4:30 4-5.

Third race—The Saratoga Special, plate, value \$5,500 added, 1,000 added, 1 mile—Waldo (6 to 5) first, Sweep (9 to 10) second, Herkimer (15 to 1) third. Time, 1:15 4-5.

Fourth race—The Delaware Handicap, \$1,000 added, three-year-olds and upward, one mile—Field Mouse (7 to 1) first, Aronck (2 to 1) second, Beauport (3 to 1) third. Time, 1:42 5-8.

Fifth race—two-year-olds, selling, five and a half furlongs, \$400 added—Little King (5 to 2) first, Billard Ball (10 to 1) second, Crack Shooter (30 to 1) third. Time, 1:09 4-5.

Sixth race—three-year-olds and upward, selling, one mile, \$400 added—Black Hawk (8 to 1) first, Tony Faust (13 to 5) second, Gloriette (10 to 1) third. Time, 1:14.

"CUB" SCOUT IN RICHMOND

Doesn't See Much Major League Timber in Virginia. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] LYNCHBURG, VA., August 7.—J. E. Murphy, a scout for the Chicago Cubs, left here yesterday morning for Richmond, where he will look over the work of the players of the Richmond and Portsmouth teams to-day. He saw Thursday's game here and was in Roanoke Wednesday. Mr. Murphy, who is a brother of President Murphy, of the Cubs, does not think there is much room for league timber in the Virginia League.

Leads the Contest

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., August 7.—Thirty-four cars, representing domestic and foreign manufacturers, already have entered the International motor-car races to be held at the new name, Indianapolis Speedway, on August 19 and 21. Entries will close August 10.

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An Exciting Scene at Tasley Course During Free-for-All Race. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] TASLEY, Va., August 7.—Last day's races at Tasley were well attended. Much interest was felt in the unfinished 2:17 pace of yesterday, which was decided by Dry Dock winning the first heat and race, time, 2:15.

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GREAT MATCH RACE SET FOR SATURDAY

PARKER HIGH GUN AT WEEKLY SHOOT

Deep Run Sportsmen Try White Flyers, and Make Good Records.

The weekly shoot of the Deep Run Shooting Club was held yesterday afternoon. Owing to the absence from the city of some of the members, the attendance was below the average, but those who were present spent a very pleasant evening pulverizing the deceptive targets. White flyers were thrown from the traps, the first in many seasons, and they surely did look good to the shooters.

Messrs. Avery and Barnes, of the N. M. C., were guests of the club, and spent the afternoon in renewing old friendships.

Parker, Brown and Lawrence tied for high honors in the club shoot, each breaking 44. Parker was high gun in 1909, with 86 to his credit. Avery was second, with 85.

Lawrence and Lohman tied for the Dupont trophy. Lawrence won out in the shoot-off with a perfect score.

The program for the Virginia-North Carolina State shoot is in the hands of the printer, and will be ready for distribution in a few days. This tournament is the biggest held in the Southern States, and from present indications will surpass anything of its kind ever held here.

The club will shoot next Saturday at the usual hour.

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MANCHESTER CLUB HAS GREAT SHOOT

Several visitors were present yesterday at the weekly shoot of the Manchester Gun Club. The weather was ideal for the sport, and many creditable scores were made. The club extends a cordial invitation to visitors.

Table with 2 columns: Player, Score. Rows include Prentiss (44), Cass (44), Jones (44), Anderson (44), Moore (44), Flippin (44), Nunnally (44), Woodliffe (44), White (44), Slaughter (44), Goode (44), Patton (44).

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Virginia Boat Club Eight Practicing Hard to Meet Potomac Crew

CHOOSE OARSMEN MONDAY

Regatta Here Will Equal Any Ever Held on James River. Many Events.

In preparation for the great race to be held on James River next Saturday afternoon between the crews of the Virginia Boat Club, of Richmond, and the Potomac Crew, of Washington, the local rowers have completed one of the most strenuous practice weeks ever spent by applicants for positions in the local eight. For years these two crews, representing two of the finest organizations in the South, have been rivals, and the race between them has been closely and vigorously contested.

That medals will be awarded each individual representative in the winning boat adds zest to the occasion, and another trophy to be contested for is the handsome silver cup offered by H. Berry & Company. This cup is now on show in Berry's window. The stipulation is that the crew shall win the event three times before permanent ownership is gained, and therefore the prize will be held here at least for several years.

Medals for Oarsmen. The medals named "Gordon" for the contributor, are given by W. F. Gordon, formerly an expert oarsman, whose interest in aquatic sports here has served greatly in arousing the men of a younger generation to enthusiasm. Each medal is adorned with an oarsman seated in a single scull, and is of solid gold. The names of the individual will be engraved on the prizes.

Aside from the match race between the two crews, which will be the feature event of the afternoon, there will be preliminary races, and from the plans made it is safe to assume that the regatta will be a very successful one. Any of like character ever held on the waters of the James River at Richmond. Captain Curtis, harbor-master for this port, has kindly consented to have the river cleared, and this will be a great help.